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SUBJECT.

~~District Board elections on~~ Qualifications for voters
in a general constituency of the Dist Bd.

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Ltr 79 of 18.11.32

To me by Mr. Kaur Dist.

States that whenever the Record of Rights Regulation
has been introduced, it is the occupant according to that
regulation paying land revenue of not less than Rs 25/-
per annum that will be entitled to vote at the Dist Bd
elections

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No.1 From the D.C. Kadur Dt-
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Solicis³ in the circ^{es} stated instructions.
as to whether individuals paying in the
aggregate Rs 25/- as assessment & brought
under the Khates prepared under the
Record of Rights rules may also be inclu-
in the list of voters prepared for the^{ed}
ensuing Dr B^d elections.

Subt for orders,

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under schedule I (1) (i), Registered occupants of
land assessed to land revenue of not less than
Rs 25/- are entitled to be voters. A Registered
occupant is defined in the L.R. Code as signifying
a sole occupant or the eldest or principal of several
joint occupants whose name is authorizedly
entered in the Govt records as holding
unalienated land. In the Record of Rights
Regn, the word 'Registered Occupant' has not
been defined and the object of this Regn
being simply to maintain a record of the
rights in accordance to the registers prescribed
by or under the L.R. Code, it does not appear
to be feasible to treat every person whose
right is registered in the Record of Rights
as being entitled on the ground that he
owns land in several suos or in one &

It is not merely the
entry in the Record of Rights
that makes one eligible for
being a voter; it is the
entry of the khasa held
by an occupant in the
Khatha - which is to be
prepared on the basis of the
Record of Rights. Accords
bringing together all the khasas
in his possession & enjoyment.
If such a person pays the requisite
amount of assessment, he
may perhaps be
as a Registered Occupant for
the purpose of the Schedule

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are brought under his name in the
 record of rights. Thus his name is
 authoritatively entered in the records, & the
 actual owner or amthaladar becomes the
 registered occupant. According to Sec 2
 of this Reg, when its provisions have been
 extended the provisions of the Land Rev. Act
 inconsistent with the former are to be deemed
 to have been modified. Thus the amthaladar
 becomes the registered occupant & the Khatia
 also has to be prepared in his name & these
 are the instructions of the Rev Commr.
 No amendment of the St. Board Reg
 is necessary. Whenever the Record of Rights
 has been introduced, it is the occupant
 according to that Reg i.e. the amthaladar
 whose name is entered in the record of rights
 & who pays ^{land revenue} ~~assessment~~ of not less than Rs 25
 that will be entitled to vote. Instructions may
 be issued to all the Sts.

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Put up of c. accordingly read
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Issue tomorrow
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Recd 8.15 pm

Indicate

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In reply please refer
to—

No. A. 3. 1379-32.
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OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER,
KADUR DISTRICT.

Chikmagalur, dated 13th October.....1932

REV. 8/10/32
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1.7 OCT. 1932
L. S. & BRANCH.

FROM

C. S. KUPPUSWAMIENGAR, ESQUIRE.,
Deputy Commissioner,
Kadur District.

To

R. Ranga Rao, Esq., B.A., B.L.,

Secretary to the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore,
General
.....Department,
BANGALORE.

GENERAL SECRETARY
15 OCT. 1932
No. 257
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Elections to the Kadur District Board - qualifications
for General Constituency.

In connection with the above, I have the honor to state that under section 9 read with clause (1) of Schedule I of the District Board Regulation 1926, "every " Registered occupant of land situated in the constituency and assessed to land revenue of not less than Rs 25/- per annum payable to Government " is qualified to be a voter in his constituency. In such of the taluks in which the Records of Rights has been completed and notification issued under section 4(2) of the Record of Rights Regulation, the khatha is prepared on the basis of the Record of Rights. Accounts bringing together all the hissass in various survey numbers, that are in possession and enjoyment of the individual (vide copy of Revenue commissioner's circular). According to clause (1) of Schedule I referred to above, the qualification for a voter with property qualifications is that he should be a registered occupant of land paying not less than Rs 25/- assessment to Government. According to the Hissa system of registering, an individual holding land as an occupant has a right to be entered as such in the khathe. But in the event of his happening to pay the requisite amount of assessment necessary for a voter, whether such person has to be treated as a registered occupant falling under the Interpretation Clause (17) of section 3 of the Land Revenue Code is not clear.

I therefore request you to kindly move Government to issue

Copy of Circular memo No. C.3263/31-32 dated 2-9-32 from the Revenue Commissioner in Mysore, Bangalore, to the Deputy Commissioner, Kadur District.

The introduction of the Records of Rights Scheme has been completed in some of the Taluks of the State, and it is therefore necessary to examine what changes are called for in the existing Village Accounts, and how they can be linked to the Registers required to be maintained under the Records of Rights Scheme. One of the objects of ~~the~~ scheme is to locate responsibility of the actual 'Anubhavar' for the land-tax due to Government, and such 'Anubhavar' ~~xxxxxx~~ whose name has been entered in the Record of Rights as a Hissadar will be recognised as the occupant under the Land Revenue Code.

2. The changes in the Village Accounts will therefore be on this basis and the main accounts that require to be changed are the khata and not the Survey Number, the khatha has to be prepared on the basis of the Record of Rights Accounts, bringing together all the hissas in various survey Numbers, that are in the possession and enjoyment of the individual, and fixing the demand against him. The khata will necessarily follow the entries in the khate. There will be no change in the form, but only in the substance of the entries in the columns provided for the holdings and the assessment due. It is ordered that in the Taluks in which the Record of Rights Register have been completed and notification issued under Section 4(2) of the Regulation, the khate and khirdi should be prepared for the current year and onwards, as indicated above.

3. The khethwar also requires revision as the Index of Lands (R.R. Form No. VI) contains almost all the details given in the khethwar. But till more experience is gained and it is decided as to whether the khethwar is really necessary or not, it is proposed to continue it in the present form in addition to the Index. It need not be rewritten wherever the period of ten years has elapsed.

4. The Pahani Account may also become unnecessary in view of the entries in the Tenancy and Crop Register, which is really more full than the Pahani. But until the Shanbhogues get fully familiarised with the new Register, it will not be safe to abolish the Pahani. The Pahani may, therefore be continued in its existing form for the Current Year. From next year onwards the Tenancy and Crop Register will alone be necessary.

5. The other existing accounts will continue as before.

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P. Subramanyaiah
for Deputy Commr

LB 132-32-

In reply please refer
to—
A3-1379-32/62.
No.

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER,
KADUR DISTRICT.

Chikmagalur, dated.....8th November 1932

FROM

N. SUNDARARAJA IYENGAR, Esquire, B.A.,

~~XXXXX KUPPUSWAMY IYENGAR, Esquire,~~

Deputy Commissioner,

Kadur District.

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L. S. G. BRANCH.

To

H. V. RAMASVAMI, Esquire, M.A., B.L.,

Secretary to the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore,

.....General.....Department,

BANGALORE.

GENERAL SECRETARY
9 NOV. 1932
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SIR,
[Signature] MB

Re: ELECTION TO THE KADUR DISTRICT BOARD - QUALIFICATIONS FOR
GENERAL CONSTITUENCY.

In inviting kind reference to this Office Letter No.A3-1379-32/62
dated 13th October 1932 on the above subject, I have the honour to
request you to be so good as to obtain the early orders of Government
on the subject referred to therein.

As Voters' lists which are under preparation in the Taluk Offices
have to be completed early and the Calendar of Events connected with
the proceedings for the election has also to be published, I request
the favour of very early orders.

GENERAL SECRETARY
10 NOV. 1932
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The Connected file has been refd
for opinion to the Asst Secy, Law,
on 27.10.32. This may be sent
in counter so that the return of the
file may be expedited.

AGA. [Signature]

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

[Signature]

Deputy Commissioner,

Kadur District.

Mr. Jaya Rao is said to be on leave. The file is obtained & linked here with.
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D.O. No. 1379-32.

Office of the Deputy Commissioner,
Kadur District.

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Chikmagalur, Dated....15th Novr...32..
L. B. G. BRANCH.

Dear Mr. Subba Rao,

Will you please refer to this Office letter No. A3-1379-32/62 dated 13-10-32 seeking instructions as to the basis on which the Voters' lists have to be prepared for general constituencies in Taluks, where final notifications under Section 4 of the Record of Rights Regulation have issued. Pending orders of Government, Amildars have been instructed to prepare Voters' Lists on the basis of new Kathes prepared as per Record of Rights Accounts. If, on any event, the basis is altered and instructions are received to the contrary, the entire lists will have to be prepared afresh. I therefore request you to be so good as to see that instructions are issued in the matter early.

Yours Sincerely,

M. A. Narasimhaiah

District Sheristedar,

Kadur District Office.

To

A. Subba Rao, Esq., B.A., B.L.,

Assistant Secretary to Government,

General and Revenue Secretariat,

Public Offices,

BANGALORE.

Subd.

This file is before the
and remember with draft,

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Recd. Mr. Subba Rao
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over the line
concerned from 17/11

SUBJECT Qualification of voters in a general body meeting
of the D.C. Bd.

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No. 1379 ✓
To The D.C. Board D.C.

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Date of issue 18. 11. 32

Signed by Mrs. J. Subba Rao

Sir,
with refce to your letter no. 1379
32 D, 13¹⁰ 32 soliciting instructions
as to whether individuals paying
in the aggregate Rs 25/- as assessm^t
on account of land revenue
brought under the Khates prepared
under the Records of Rights rules
may also be included in the list
of voters to be prepared for the
ensuing D.C. Bd elections, I am
directed to state that according to
Sec 3(7) of the Land Revenue Code,
the Registered Occupant is the occupant
whose name is authorizedly entered
in the Grah Records. Under the
Record of Rights Regn, the bisas

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The Supt, Govt Printing, Bangalore

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue

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Signed by

Mr. A. S. Rao.

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I am directed to write reply to letter no 23479/LB 132-32-58/18¹¹/₃₂ addressed to the ⁸ Kader re issuing instructions in the matter of the inclusion of the voters lists of 19 B⁸ elections, of persons paying the prescribed amt of land revenue & brought under the Record of Rights, sent to the press for being printed as a standing order, and to request that the above commⁿ may also be published in part I of the next issue of the Mysore Gazette.

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The Superintendent,
Government Printing, Bangalore.

I am directed to invite reference to letter No. L. 3479/L.B. 132-32-5, dated 18th November 1932 addressed to the Deputy Commissioner, Kadur District issuing instructions in the matter of the inclusion in the Voters' lists of District Board Elections, of persons paying the prescribed amounts of land revenue and brought under the Record of Rights, sent to the Press for being printed as a Standing Order, and to request that the above communication may also be published in part I of the next issue of the Mysore Gazette.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Arunachal

for General Secretary to Government.

S. O.

Government of his highness the Maharaja
of Mysore.

GENERAL AND REVENUE DEPARTMENTS.

G. O. No. L. 3479—L. B. 132-32-5, dated 18th November 1932.

District Board Elections.

States that wherever the Records of Rights Regulation has been introduced, it is the occupant according to that Regulation paying land revenue of not less than Rs. 25 per annum that will be entitled to vote at the —.

No. L. 3479—L. B. 132-32-5, DATED BANGALORE THE 18TH NOVEMBER 1932.

FROM

H. V. RAMASVAMI, ESQ., M.A., B.L.,
*General Secretary to the Government
of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.*

TO

The Deputy Commissioner, Kadur District.

SUBJECT.

QUALIFICATION OF VOTERS IN A GENERAL CONSTITUENCY OF THE DISTRICT BOARD.

SIR,

With reference to your letter No. A. 3-1379—32, dated 13th October 1932, soliciting instructions as to whether individuals paying in the aggregate Rs. 25 as assessment on account of land revenue and brought under the khates prepared under the Records of Rights Rules may also be included in the list of voters to be prepared for the ensuing District Board elections, I am directed to state that according to section 3 (17) of the Land Revenue Code, the Registered occupant is the occupant whose name is authorizedly entered in the Government Records. Under the Record of Rights Regulation, the hissas of the person in actual possession of the land (*i.e.*, the Anubhavadar) are brought under his name in the Record of Rights. Thus his name is authorizedly entered in the records, and the actual owner or Anubhavadar becomes the Registered Occupant. Further, according to section 2 of this Regulation, where its provisions have been extended to any area, the provisions of the Land Revenue Code inconsistent therewith are to be deemed to have been modified and the Anubhavadar therefore becomes the Registered occupant and the khate also has to be prepared in his name. In these circumstances, I am to state that wherever the Record of Rights Regulation has been introduced, it is the occupant according to that Regulation, *i.e.*, the Anubhavadar whose name is entered in the Record of Rights and who pays land revenue of not less than Rs. 25 that will be entitled to vote.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

H. V. RAMASVAMI,

*Secretary to Government,
General Department.*

Memo No. L. 3480-86, dated 18th November 1932.

Copy of the above, is forwarded, with compliments, to the Deputy Commissioners of other Districts, for information and guidance.

By Order,

H. V. RAMASVAMI,

*Secretary to Government,
General Department.*

Exd.—P.S.R.N.